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## THE SOCIAL WORLD

Summer Plans and Marriages Now Discussed.

#### DINNER AT THE MEXICAN EMBASSY

Recent Hospitalities and Coming Events.

OTHER INTERESTING TOPICS

The early June days will witness the beginning of the summer exodus. The formal hospitalities appear to be over, unless for the family clans interested in the weddings which will perhaps more than usual give the month of roses a romantic coloring. A large number already have been announced, many of which will be accompanied by extremely pretty details. The May brides have probably had the best of it in the way of bright, cool weather, which delightful feature the early June brides may also

The cabinet families, after a week or two, unless by joining one or other of the President's trips, may not meet until the fall again. Most of them having spent nearly all the last eighteen months in this city, feel a change for the coming four months an absolute necessity. The Secretary of State and Mrs. Hay have their own home on Lake Sunapee, New Hampshire, awaiting them, and will probably be settled there by the 15th of June. Secretary and Mrs. Gage are going out to Chevy Chase for the summer, and will, as usual, occupy the Newlands house. Their daughter, Mrs. E. F. Pearce of Chicago, with her children, will spend next month with them. Attorney General and Mrs. Griggs have a new home recently finished in Paterson, N. J., which they will make headquarters during the summer. Mrs. Griggs and family will leave here about the 1st of June. ident's trips, may not meet until the fall eave here about the 1st of June.

Miss Wilson will stay in Washington until her father, Secretary Wilson, is ready to go on vacation, which they will spend in the west. The Misses Long have gone to Hingham, Mass., for the early summer, where Secre-tary and Mrs. Long will also spend some

The Supreme Court circle will also be widely scattered for the next few months. The Chief Justice and Mrs. Fuller are going abroad very soon, as will Justice Brewer. Miss Brewer has been traveling in southern Europe since her father's return a month or two ago, and will join him in Paris upon his arrival there.

Justice and Mrs. Shiras are going up to Marquette, Mich., which is a favorite resort for them nearly every summer. Justice Harlan and family go far north in Canada, where they enjoy out-door life to the fullest extent. the fullest extent. The Misses Strong are going to Europe

very shortly, and the early part of the sum-mer will be spent on an excursion to the North cape. They will remain abroad till ate in the autumn. Ex-Secretary and Mrs. John W. Foster leave the first of June for Watertown to visit their daughters, Mrs. Dulles and Mrs. Lansing. They will spend the warm weather, as usual, at their home at Hen-

derson's Harbor. Secretary and Mrs. Alger have gone to Phorndale, Pa., to spend a few days with

The weddings already announced for June include those of Miss Grace McCulloch and Dr. Harry Theodore Harding, Miss Pauline Claire Baldwin and Mr. Charles Edward Spuldt, Miss Ruth Merriam and Dr. Frank H. Schultz, Miss Corinne Clements and Mr. John Elfreth Watkins, jr.; Miss Belle Willett and Mr. Graham Hume, Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Welter Control of the Miss Lulis Reserved and Mr. Graham Hume, Miss L Miss Belle Willett and Mr. Graham Hume, Miss Julia Beveridge and Mr. Walter Connell Shoup, Miss Anderson and Mr. Philip H. McMillan and Miss Lindsay Poor and Colonel M. P. Maus. This latter, however, will not be a Washington event, the bride preferring a wedding at the family summer home, Skaneateles, N. Y. Miss Anita Poor will be the maid of honor, and the bridesmaids will include Miss Miles, Miss Sheridan, Miss Hagner, Miss Ffoulke, Miss Glover, Miss Willetts of New York and Miss Wright of Cincinnati. Colonel Francis whose business it is to investigate such Glover, Miss Willetts of New York and Miss Wright of Cincinnati. Colonel Francis Michler will be best man. Miss Poor will make a visit to the venerable parents of Colonel Maus at Rockyllle before she leaves

with her parents for Skaneateles. An anniversary requiem mass for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Madeleine Vinton Dahlgren will be said tomorrow at the Chapel of St. Joseph on the Dahlgren es-tate, Dahlen, Md., where Mrs. Joseph Pierce and other relatives are now gath-

The Mexican ambassador and Mrs. Azpicoz gave another very elegant dinner last night, their guests including the assistant secretary of state and Mrs. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Robbins of St. Louis, the Argentine minister and Mrs. Meron, the Guatemalan minister and Mrs. Meron, the Guatemalan Mrs. ister, Mrs. Humphreys, Mrs. Mexia, Mrs. de Perez, Mr. Sautebanez and Capt. Barron. Mr. and Mrs. Robbins of St. Louis were the hosts of a number of handsome entertainments during the stay of the ambassador and family in that city before coming here. The table was beautifully adorned with pink sweetpeas and garlands of smilax, and the drawing rooms and dinor smilax, and the drawing rooms and din-ing room were decked with pink hydran-geas and peonies. The mantels were bank-ed with these pink blooms with hanging vines and the hall room and halls were set with palms and foliage plants.

Mrs. Cushman K. Davis has been enteraining during this week, at her home, No. 1703 K street, a large number of friends among whom are her cousin, Mrs. John H. MacLean of Bay Ridge, New York, and her three children. On Thursday morning President and Mrs. McKinley gave Mrs. Davis and her relatives a private reception. Miss Daisy MacLean, a child of five years, sang and recited several pieces for the President and Mrs. McKinley, who were greatly entertained. Mrs. McKinley took the children, five in number (among whom were Miss Appie Wright of Payling Cream were Miss Annie Wright of Bowling Green Va., and Master Albert Agnew of this city, also relatives of Mrs. Davis), to her bou doir, and presented each with a souvenir of the visit and the peace jubilee. Mrs. Davis' young friends will be with her until next

The ladies of the Southern Relief Society propose having a basket picnic on the 30th at Woodside, Md., at which time they will decorate the graves of the confederates buried in the churchyard.

Miss Emilie King of Topeka, Kansas, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ryan of Yale street, Mt. Pleas-Mr. L. W. Thavis of Capitol Hill, re-

turned this week after a three weeks' stay in Chicago and Kansas City. Mrs. Fred Ryan has returned to Washington from Cuba, where her husband is stationed as an army officer. She is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ryan of 1536 Yale street.

Mrs. J. M. Thornburgh and daughter of Knoxville, Tenn., are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. M. E. Burche of 18th street, and will be pleased to meet informally their Miss Alice Miller Sibert of Richmond is

visiting Mrs. C. F. Myers of 449 1st street southeast. The engagement is announced of Miss Frances Gibson, daughter of Representa-tive H. R. Gibson of Tennessee, and Dr. Walter A. Wells of Washington. The mar-rlage will take place the middle of June, with only the immediate families present. Capt. and Mrs. Beach, 1811 H street, have closed their house for the season and re-turned to their residence in New York, where they remain a few days before going

Mr. Thos. W. Hungerford and family have moved to their new home, 222 N street, where they will be pleased to see their A party in honor of the eighth anniver-

to the country.

A party in honor of the eighth anniversary of her birth was given last evening to Miss Bertle May Pote by her parents at their home, No. 642 G street southeast. Those present were the Misses Maggie Hulse, Kate Young, Carrie Jarboe, Annie Jarboe, Agnes Toole, Bessie Price, Jennie Chalk, Irene McNelly, Julia Price, Bertha Toole, Annie Stewart, Lella Price; also Masters Frank Button, Willie Toole and Lester McNelly. The Martha Washington Juniors gave the

second of this year's series of "companies" at the residence of the president, Miss Lillian Baker, 153 B street. The club entertained in their costumes, and the decorations represented those of colonial times. The evening was spent in games and music. Those present were the Misses Nellie Hodges, Annie Reppetti, Edna Wells, Emma Doeberlener and Hannah Greenville, Messrs, Harry Bean, Ernest Concolm, Jim Clark, Irvin Griggs, Olivette Grimes, Robt. Irby, Paul Kick, Earl Lockwood, Roy Stone, Paul Whieley, Mary Smith, Ernest Smith, William Mehler, Fred Mehler, Alexander Verala, James Ratcliff, ir. Those assisting were Mrs. Stiebel, Mrs. Baker, Miss McKie and the members of the club. Lillian and Camille Baker, Fannie and Emma Stiebel, Mae Gorman, Beatrice Hamilton, Rosa Mehler and Rosina Vearns, Elna Feterson and Mary Warwick.

Elna Peterson and Mary Warwick. Owing to failing health Mr. C. S. Lashhorn has been compelled to go north for an indefinite stay. Mrs. C. S. Lash-horn and son are still at 1114 10th street

northwest. Mrs. Charles Hanback of 813 12th

street is again confined to her apartments by severe illness due to rheumatism. Mrs. Chas. Lansing and Miss Williams of Rochester, N. Y., have returned to their

home after being very pleasantly enter-tained by their friends, Mrs. James of 16th street, Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. Gage and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Covert of R street. The Misses Carrie and Lillian Schaffer of

lantic City for the summer.

The marriage of Miss Blanche Weller, daughter of Mr. William B. Weller of Wheaton district, Montgomery county, Md., and Mr. William H. Burk of Washington is announced to take place in June.

Mrs. Stone, wife of the governor of Penn-

sylvania, spent last week here visiting Dr. and Mrs. Percy Hickling. Miss May Mullan has accompanied her

relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Henley Smith, for a summer tour abroad. They sailed today from New York. Mrs. Manie Yowell Rixey, 1528-30 I street

northwest, entertained a number of friends last evening in compliment to Miss Frances Yowell of Culpeper, Va. Among those present were: Miss Frances Yowell, Miss Bragg.
A. J. Eggborn, Mr. D. J. F. Strather of Culpeper, Va.: Mr. J. A. Strather and George Bias of West Virginia, Miss Higgins, Mr. Higgins, Mr. Millward, Dr. Hackney, Howard Weight, Alexander Brackfurdige, Bar-Higgins, Mr. Millward, Dr. Hackney, Howard Wright, Alexander Breckinridge, Barclay Breckinridge, Judge Reeves, Judge and Mrs. Gardner, Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Rixey, Miss Famile L. Rixey, Mrs. and Miss Babcock, Mrs. Erwin of Washington, D. C.; Miss Lee and Miss Baker of Norfolk, Va.; Miss Boak and Miss Seibert of Martinsburg, W. Va.; Miss Baird, Mr. and Mrs.

#### Catholics and Dr. Briggs. To the Editor of The Evening Star:

In quoting from the New York Herald Tuesday last you did injustice to the Visitor, a Catholic paper published at Providence, R. I. Please publish the following from that paper of May 20, a part of which you published, showing that Catholics cannot approve of Dr. Briggs' notions about the Bible:

"There is one statement in Bishop Potter's letter which is likely to scandalize Catholics and which Dr. De Costa has not hesitated to brand as a palpable ile. The bishop says that Dr. Briggs holds letters from Roman Catholic scholars of foremost rank in institutions of learning of foremost dignity, expressing warmest appre-ciation of his works on the Bible and intimating their intention of using them in their classes. "Now, the attitude which Catholics are

bound to maintain with regard to Holy Scripture was laid down by the present pope in his encyclical. Providentissimus Deus, published in 1893, and it seems somewhat queer that any Catholic professor would be rash enough to commit himself to views perrobated by the continuation. would be rash enough to commit himself to views reprobated by the pontiff. It is just as well to remember, however, that the thing is by no means impossible, and we are afraid that Dr. De Costa was a trifle hasty. We know of one professor of Scrip-ture whose views on the Messianic idea are strikingly novel, and we know of another— a member of a faculty which solemnly thanked the holy father for his wise and

whose business it is to investigate such things, and that any Roman Catholic scholars' who have dared, in defiance of the pope's teachings, to indorse the con-clusions of such a thorough-going ration-alist as Dr. Briggs will be summarily dealt with. Our theo ogical schools must be kept free from the infection of German ra-tionalism." H. M. BEADLE. May 26, 1899.

#### Roping Off the Streets.

To the Editor of The Evening Star: It is the custom here to rope off the treets in case of sickness. From a humanitarian standpoint this is commendable;

from public policy, it is wrong. Why should the residents, property owners and taxpayers be deprived of their lawful right to use the street in front of their premises? The smooth asphalt pavement causes little or no disturbance in the passing of vehicles. A physician residing on a reped-off block is put to much inconven-ience; a delicate, weak person wishing to take a drive to enjoy the sunshine and fresh air is prevented from taking the carrage at the door. After sundown the ropes are a menace and a dangerous obstruction to persons who use the wheel. I know of one accident that happened some months sirce, when a wheelman was caught under the chin by a rope stretched across the

street, thrown violently, and his wheel bad if y damaged, he fortunately escaping with a few severe bruises.

A few years ago I know of a block that A rew years ago I know of a block that was roped off three separate times from one to two weeks on account of a hysterical girl, a complaint that the doctors say never kills the patient, but often the attendant.

When some one meets with a serious ac cident from the ropes, and the District has to pay heavy damages, this unlawful cus-tom will receive its quietus. May 26, 1899. OLD RESIDENT.

#### Rotel Arrivals. Arlington.-G. P. Elkins Pittsburg; J. I. Saks, Princeton, N. J.: E. Sharpless, New

Cochran.-G. W. Palmer, Brooklyn, N. Y.; E. P. Wilson, Cincinnati. Normandie.-N. P. Richardson, Pittsburg; R. Lane, Iowa; J. Elder, Richmond, Ind. Raleigh .- H. E. Bercher, Youngstown, Ohio; C. D. Myers, Rochester, N. Y.; A. A.

Watkins, Lincoln, Neb.; T. T. Hay, Raleigh, N. C. Regent.-F. E. Juth, San Jose, Cal.; H. B. Freeman, Portland, Ore.; S. P. Moses, Riggs.-A. B. Richardson, Ohio; H. B. Guthrie, Pittsburg; H. K. Gilmour, Ken-

tucky; H. T. Kent, Philadelphia. Shoreham.—G. W. Gregory, Boston; R. F. Gurney, London, England; W. N. Page, West Virginia; H. D. Booth, Philadelphia. Wellington.—G. E. Downs, Philadelphia; R. J. Bailey, Rochester, N. Y. Willard.—C. J. Heard, Augusta, Ga.; A. O. Miller, Chicago; T. M. Coffin, Boston. Metropolitan.—C. Benham, London, Eng-

and; E. B. Harrison, Virginia; A. Rogers, Leesburg, Va.
National.—A. W. Arnold, New York; G.
W. Fisher, West Virginia; W. D. Rabdall, Cincinnati.

#### Marriage Licenses. Marriage licenses have been issued to the

following: White-Charles T. Alexander of this city and iLna Sowers of Akron, Ohio. Colored-William Pherson and Sarah Dud-ley; William M. Beckton and Margaret

Patronesses of the Charity Matinee.

The charity matinee to be given at the Columbia Theater May 30, for the benefit of the House of the Good Shepherd, has for its patronesses the following well-known its patronesses the following well-known ladies: Mrs. Justice White, Viscountess de Santo Thyrso, Mrs. Henry May, Mrs. Admiral Ramsey, the Misses Riggs, Mrs. John O'Donnell, Mrs. Boardman, Mrs. Senator Carter, Mrs. Acosta, Mrs. Bayne, Mrs. Geo. E. Hamilton, Mrs. J. Maury Dove, Misses Morris, McMillan, Patten, Roach, Mrs. Thomas Waggaman and Mrs. Robert Hinckley. TARDY IN MAKING DEPOSITS.

Street Railways Slow in Providing for Special Officers.

Mr. J. T. Petty, the auditor of the District, has reported to the Commissioners that the several street railway companies which are required by the act of June 24, 1898, to provide for special policemen at the street crossings are, with one exception, very tardy in making their deposits.

Says Mr. Petty: "In a circular letter dated August 3, 1808, the Commissioners requested that the respective amounts asessed be paid to the collector of taxes net later than the 20th of each month; but compliance with this request has been the exception rather than the rule. For example, the amounts due April 20, were paid in as follows: Capital Traction Company, April 21, Metropolitan Railway Company, May 2 Anacostia and Potomac River Railroad Company, May 3; Belt Railway Company, May 3.

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"It will thus be seen that the companies named were, respectively, one, five, twelve and thirteen days in arrears for April.

"As the rolls cannot be paid until all the deposits have been received, the hardship imposed upon the men by this delinquency is apparent. They lose time in coming day after day for their pay, which should be ready by the end of the month, and I can see no reasonable excuse for the delay. Several of the companies only pay after persistent danning by this office, and as I have no authority in the premises I would suggest that the Commissioners remind them of their duty under the law and the necessity for its prompt performance. Up to the present date, May 23, not a single company has deposited the amount of the assessment due on the 20th instant."

The Commissioners today addressed a letter to the companies, inviting their aftention to the matters complained of by the auditor. "It will thus be seen that the companies 223 D street northwest have gone to At-

auditor.

#### BADLY INJURED.

Somnambulist Walks Out of a Second-Story Window. Jacob Fitzgibbons, aged thirty-three, of No. 901 I street northwest, walked out of an open window on the second floor of his home last night while asleep. He struck on the hard pavement of a side alley, and when removed to the Emergency Hospital It was found that his left knee and left It was round that has left knee and left-arm were broken, and he was badly hurt about the head. Late this afternoon Dr. Morhart, who rendered surgical aid, said Fitzgibbons' condition was favorable to

#### Bishop Turner's Visit.

The Right Rev. H. M. Turner, senior bishop of the A. M. E. Church and the eader and exponent of the emigration idea of the American negroes to Africa, was in the city a few moments this morning. He accompanied the body of Ex-Recorder C. H. J. Taylor from Atlanta to Baltimore, H. J. Taylor from Atlanta to Baltimore, where the obsequies will take place. Bishop Turner is the chancellor of the Morris Brown College of Atlanta, Ga., of which Mr. Taylor was dean of the law department. Speaking of Mr. Taylor, Bishop Turner remarked that he was one of the most prominent young colored men that the race had produced. He was thoroughly loyal to raclal interests and was always greatly misunderstood. His politics, said the bishop, made him very unpopular, being an advocate of a division of the negro vote. This never interfered, said Bishop Turner, with his work for the race as a whole.

whole.

Mr. Taylor's funeral takes place in Bal-Mr. Taylor's Tuneral takes place in Dai-timore at 2:30 p.m. tomorrow, and the bishop regrets very much his inability to be present, since the commencement ex-ercises at the Atlanta Universities take place on that day and his presence there is absolutely measure. absolutely necessary.

BHLINGSLEY On Friday, May 26, 1890, at 10:25 p.m., LELLA LEE BHLINGSLEY, beloved child of Leslie O, and Emma F. Billingsley, in the lifteenth year of her age.

Funeral from the home of her parents, No. 947 E street southwest. Monday, May 28, at 3 p.m. Relatives and friends invited.

COLEGATE. On Friday, May 26, 1899, GEORGE GIBSON COLEGATE, son of the late James and Elizabeth M. Colegate.
Funeral services at 1830 I street on Monday, May 29, at 11 a.m. Interment private.

DUFFY. At the residence of his sister, Mrs. C. For, 1743 Pennsylvania avenue, MARTIN G. DUFFY. Burial in New York. YNN. On Saturday, May 27, 1899, at 6:38 o'clock a.m., SARAH E., only daughter of Edw, and Catherine Flynn, aged seven years, eleven months, seventeen days.

Home is sad, but, oh, how dreary, Listening for thy voice till weary. Can we place thee with the dend? Can we hear the cold earth falling On our darling Sadie's head? BY HER PARENTS.

Funeral will take place from her parents' residence, 735 Delaware avenue southwest, Monday, May 29, at 2:30 o'clock, Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend. GRINDER. On Friday, May 26, 1869, at 11:50 s.m., JOSEPH GRINDER, beloved husband of Elizabeth Grinder (ne. Williams), in his serenty-seventh year.

Funeral from his late residence, 136 East Capitol street, Sunday, May 28, at 3 p.m. Relatives and friends invited.

HAPPOLDT. On Friday, May 26, 1889, at 5 p.m., EUGENIA A. HAPPOLDT, beloved daughter of Daniel J. and Mary A. Happeldt, aged afnereen years.
Funeral from the residence of her parents' on Monday, May 29, at 10 o'clock a.m.

LLOYD. Suddenly, at his residence, 611 Florida avenue northwest, on Friday morning May 26, 1869, Mr. ASBURY LLOYIP, beleved busband of Elizabeth Lloyd and devoted father of Mrs. Mary E. Ziegler.

age.
Funcial will take place from her late residence,
3335 M street northwest, on Monday, May 29,
at 9 o'clock a.m.: thence to Holy Trinity
Church, where requiem mass will be said for the
repose of her soal. Relatives and friends are
invited to attend.

OWENS. In Laurel, Md., on May 25, 1899, at 10:50 p.m., JOHN W., husband of Kate M. M. Owens, Funeral will take place from Centenary M. E. Church, Laurel, Md., Sunday, May 28, at 1:30 p.m. sharp.

VEITCH, At Rives' Station, May 26, 1899, JOHN FLETCHER VEITCH, infant son of Fletcher Pearre and Laura B. Veitch. WATKINS. Suddenly, at 2:40 p.m., Thursday, May 25, 1899, GEORGE W. WATKINS, beloved husband of Amanda Watkins (nee Devaughn) of West Washington.

West Washington.

House of the southeast, Sunday, at 3 p.m. Interment in Congressional cemetery.

WHITEHEAD. On Friday, May 26, 1899 at 9:30 o'clock a.m., in New York city, JONEPHIND SMITH WHITEHEAD, widow of Maj. F. F. Whitehead, U. S. A., and daughter of the late David Smith, M. D., of Chicago.

Notice of funeral in Sunday morning Post,

HALL. In loving remembrance of our dear brother, WILLIAM C. HALL, who died two years ago, May 28, 1897. "Loved during life;
"Loved during life;
Remembered in death."
BY HIS SISTERS.

PREINKERT. In loving remembrance of my deal husband, GEORGE CONRAD PREINKERT, who died one year ago today, May 27, 1898.
Sleep, husband, father, free from pain, Until some day we meet again, No tears will bedim our eyes
When we meet in Paradise,
BY HIS WIDOW AND CHILDREN.

VARNELL. In loving remembrance of our dear mother, MARY F. VARNELL, who died on year ago, May 28, 1898. Farewell. dear mother, a long furewell. For us you have labored many years. You have always striven to do your best,

#### You have always striven to do your best, But now you have gone to take your rest, Tired mother, gone to rest; Be thy sleep by heaven blest. Clasp thine eyes in slumber deep, Darling mother, rest in peace. Loved in life; in death remembered BY MOTHER AND DAUGHTERS

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# McCARTHY. Suddenly, of apoplexy, at the residence of her son, John B. McCarthy, on May 26, 1899. HARRIET A. widow of the late Jeremial McCarthy, in the fifty-seventh year of her